IN THE CLAIMS:

(Previously Amended) A digital broadcast receiving system comprising:

a digital broadcast receiver having a transmitting means for transmitting electronic program guide (EPG) data contained in a received digital broadcast data; [and] a program display and selecting apparatus having a receiving means for receiving the EPG data transmitted from said digital broadcast receiver; and said program display and selecting apparatus comprising a displaying means for concurrently displaying the received EPG data.

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- 2. (Previously Cancelled)
- 3. (Original) The digital broadcast receiving system according to claim 1, wherein said digital broadcast receiver periodically transmits EPG data.
- 4. (Original) The digital broadcast receiving system according to claim 1, wherein said program display and selecting apparatus comprises an operation means for operating said digital broadcast receiver.
- 5. (Original) The digital broadcast receiving system according to claim 4, wherein said program display and selecting apparatus comprises a transmitting means for transmitting operational information inputted into said operation means to said digital broadcast receiver; and

said digital broadcast receiver comprises a receiving means for receiving the operational information transmitted from said program display and selecting apparatus.

- 6. (Original) The digital broadcast receiving system according to claim 4, wherein said operation means comprises a touch panel.
- 7. (Original) The digital broadcast receiving system according to claim 4, wherein said operation means selects a program to be monitored.
- 8. (Currently Amended) A digital broadcast receiver comprising a transmitting means for transmitting EPG (electronic program guide) data contained in a received digital broadcast data; a receiving means for receiving EPG data transmitted from the digital broadcast receiver; and a selecting apparatus; according to claim 10, said selecting apparatus comprising a display means for concurrently displaying said received EPG data.
- 9. (Original) The digital broadcast receiver according to claim 8, wherein said EPG data is transmitted periodically.

10 and 11. (Previously Cancelled)

12. (Previously Amended) The program display and selecting apparatus according to claim 8, comprising an operation means for operating said digital broadcast receiver.

13. (Original) The program display and selecting apparatus according to claim 12, comprising a transmitting means for transmitting the operational information input into said operation means to said digital broadcast receiver.

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14. (Original) The program display and selecting apparatus according to claim 12, wherein said operation means comprises a touch panel.

15. (Original) The program display and selecting apparatus according to claim 12, wherein said operation means selects a program to be monitored.

16. (Original) A digital broadcast receiver comprising a transmitting means for transmitting EPG data contained in a received digital broadcast data and a receiving means for receiving the operational information transmitted from the program display and selected apparatus as claimed in claim 13.